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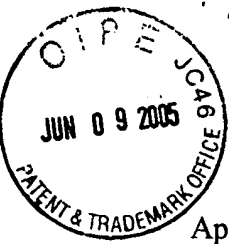
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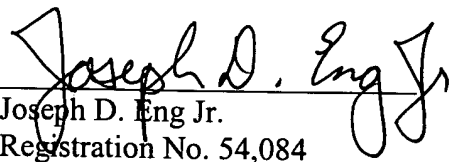
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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

In Column 15, line 34: " Ssi(y)" should read -- "SSi(y)";

In Column 18, line 61: "Ssi(x)" should read -- "SSi(x)";

In Column 19, line 32: "On" should read -- "θn";

In Column 20, line 64: "characteristic quality" should read -- "the characteristic quality";

In Column 25, line 31: insert "with respect to what is presently considered to be the" after "has been described"

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